

STATE OF NEBRASKA

DEPARTMENT OF WATER, ENERGY, AND ENVIRONMENT

APPROVAL OF APPLICATION A-20109 AND MAP NUMBER 21707

WATER DIVISION 2-F

BACKGROUND

1. On December 4, 2025, Kylie Wilmes, on behalf of the City of Omaha, filed in the Department of Water, Energy, and Environment (Department) application A-20109 for a temporary Permit to Appropriate Water.
2. Temporary permits may not be granted for a term of more than one year.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that application A-20109 and map number 21707 are APPROVED subject to the following limitations and conditions:

1. The source of water is the Missouri River.
2. The water shall be used for cleaning levee outfall pipes.
3. The priority date is December 4, 2025.
4. The water will be diverted on the right bank of the river at nearest feasible location adjacent to levee outfall locations as shown on map number 21707 in Douglas County, Nebraska.
5. The rate that water may be diverted under appropriation A-20109 shall not exceed 0.67 cubic feet per second (300 gallons per minute). The total amount of water diverted shall not exceed 10 acre-feet.
6. The appropriation EXPIRES one year from the date of this Order and appropriation A-20109 will be CANCELLED without further action by the Department as of that date.
7. The appropriator must comply with all relevant statutes. These relevant statutory requirements include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - A. Notify the Department of any change in ownership or address.
 - B. Notify the Department of the name and address of the person responsible for the use of the water appropriation.
 - C. Obtain approval from the Department prior to taking any action that changes the location of the point of diversion, the location of the place of use.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Failure to comply with all laws and regulations pertaining to surface water appropriations, any orders issued by the Department, or the provisions of this Order may result in the cancellation of the appropriation, temporary closing of the appropriation, administrative penalty, criminal prosecution, or any combination thereof.

This appropriation is not a guarantee that water will be available. Nebraska law gives priority to senior appropriations. This appropriation may be closed if there is insufficient water to satisfy senior appropriations.

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December 18, 2025

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Chief Water Officer

A copy of this Order was posted on the Department's website. Copies of this Order and map number 21707 were provided to the Department's field office in Norfolk, Nebraska. Copies of this Order, map number 21707 and Surface Water Administration brochure were mailed to the following:

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